

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

Hiromichi Yamada et al.

Serial No: 10/611,315

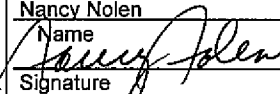
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For: MICRO CONTROLLER FOR  
DECOMPRESSING AND COMPRESSING  
VARIABLE LENGTH CODES VIA A  
COMPRESSED CODE DICTIONARY (As  
Amended)

Art Unit: 2181

Examiner: Tonia L.M. Dollinger

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**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Mail Stop Amendment  
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Dear Sir:

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. 1.136, Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a two-month extension of time extending to December 28, 2008, the period for response to the Office Action dated July 28, 2008. Please charge the fee of \$490.00 for this extension to Deposit Account No. 50-1314.

Please charge any insufficiency or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1314.

Respectfully submitted,

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